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Dear Dr. Lederberg,

I am pleased to learn of your interest in the possible role of anhydro-sugar formation in galactose metabolism and would indeed be glad if I could assist you by the supply of suitable anhydro sugars. Unfortunately, I have nothing more than small "nucleating" specimens in my collection, our work on anhydro-sugars being at present in abeyance. I fear our specimens are smaller even than your minimum requirement of 0.2 gm.

I feel sure however, that a supply of galactosan could be obtained from Professor C.S. Hudson, whose work has contributed so much to this field of chemistry.

Yours sincerely,

Stanley Peat.

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